



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

: **Confirmation No. 5362**

Mikio ODA et al.

: Attorney Docket No. 2003\_1683

Serial No. 10/725,438

: Group Art Unit 2654

Filed December 3, 2003

: Examiner Donald L. Storm

DEVICE FOR NORMALIZING VOICE  
PITCH FOR VOICE RECOGNITION

: **Mail Stop: AF**

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**RESPONSE UNDER 37.CFR1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
EXAMINING GROUP 2654**

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In response to the final Office Action of February 1, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. Patent application as follows:

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**ADDITIONAL CLAIMS FEE TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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